
News Release

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THE YORK WATER COMPANY ANNOUNCES DIVIDEND FOR 193RD CONSECUTIVE YEAR

York, Pennsylvania, August 26, 2009: The York Water Company's (NASDAQ:YORW) President and CEO, Jeffrey R. Hines, announced that the Board of Directors at their August 24th meeting declared a quarterly dividend of \$0.126 per share.

This is the 555th consecutive dividend paid by The York Water Company. York Water, which is the oldest investor owned utility in the nation, has paid dividends for 193 consecutive years beginning in 1816. This is believed to be the longest record of consecutive dividends in America. The dividend is payable October 15, 2009 to shareholders as of record date September 30, 2009.

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